To: Van Der Kloot, James[vanderkloot.james@epa.gov] Cc: Dufficy, Joseph[dufficy.joseph@epa.gov]; Frey, Rebecca[frey.rebecca@epa.gov]; Kaiser, Steven[kaiser.steven@epa.gov]; Milton Reed[mreed@globalconsultingsln.com]; msolorio@eastchicago.com[msolorio@eastchicago.com]; Richard Baldino[RBaldino@onesullivan.com]; Pope, Janet[Pope.Janet@epa.gov] From: Berkoff, Michael Wed 3/11/2015 2:58:38 PM Sent: Subject: RE: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15 Sure. From: Van Der Kloot, James Sent: Wednesday, March 11, 2015 9:56 AM To: Berkoff, Michael Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com **Subject:** Re: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15 Hello, Michael: I just got off the phone with the City of East Chicago. Given your schedule on the 26th, they are thinking that it would be best if we could go ahead and meet with you tomorrow, if that is still possible. Does that work for you? Thanks. Jim

From: Berkoff, Michael

Sent: Wednesday, March 11, 2015 9:42 AM

To: Van Der Kloot, James

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com

Subject: RE: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15

Jim,

Thank you for letting me know. Unfortunately, I will not be able to attend on the 26<sup>th</sup>, as I have mandatory training that day.

Michael

From: Van Der Kloot, James

Sent: Tuesday, March 10, 2015 4:52 PM

To: Berkoff, Michael

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com

Subject: Re: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15

Hello, Michael:

The meeting on Thursday, March 12th has been canceled. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, March 26th at 9:30 am. Will you be able to attend on March 26th? The meeting will be held at 4444 Railroad Avenue.

Thanks.

Jim Van der Kloot

From: Berkoff, Michael

Sent: Monday, March 9, 2015 2:56 PM

To: Van Der Kloot, James

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com

Subject: RE: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15

Jim,

What is the location of the meeting?

## Michael

From: Van Der Kloot, James

Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 5:48 PM

To: Berkoff, Michael

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com

Subject: Re: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15

Thank you, Michael:

The next meeting will be on March 12th, from 9:30 to 10:30. Will that work?

Jim Van der Kloot

From: Berkoff, Michael

Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 5:12 PM

To: Van Der Kloot, James

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; msolorio@eastchicago.com

Subject: RE: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15

Jim,

Thank you for the invitation. I would be happy to meet with East Chicago to discuss Goodman Park. Unfortunately, I am not able to attend that meeting as I will be on travel for other site work that day and the following one. I have my schedule up to date in outlook, so feel free to propose a meeting when I am not otherwise scheduled. As I may invite a representative of the Responsible Parties to participate in the discussion, please try to provide me with at least two weeks notice.

Thank you,

Michael

From: Van Der Kloot, James

Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 4:19 PM

To: Berkoff, Michael

Cc: Dufficy, Joseph; Frey, Rebecca; Kaiser, Steven; Milton Reed; <a href="mailto:msolorio@eastchicago.com">msolorio@eastchicago.com</a> Subject: Invitation to Roxana/Calumet Team Meeting on 2-26-15
Hello, Michael:
As you may know, I meet with East Chicago's Department Heads every other week. Discussions have been going very well, aided by some strong input from Ball State University. The City has identified several projects that they would like to pursue in order to improve quality of life within the Roxana and Calumet neighborhoods, and beyond.
One particular project would benefit from your consultation. Just North of the public housing project in Calumet, there is a park. The City would like to improve access, amenities, and programming at the park, and would like to take advantage of the dredging and restoration of the canal to improve recreational opportunities. Tetratech has been out to meet with the City, to discuss the canal-related aspects.
The City is hoping that you can come out to their meeting (again, consisting of me and City Department Heads) to discuss the timing and phasing of cleanup within the Calumet area, particularly focusing on how it will impact the public housing area and the park to the north.
The meeting will take place on 2-26 from 9:30 to 10:30. You will not need to give a formal presentation.
Thank you.
Jim Van der Kloot
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